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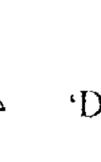
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perfectly equal to the task set them.

The Pester Ll yd learns from Warsaw that, in order to deter Chinese railway wreckers from carrying out further attempts on the permanent way of the Trans-Baikal and Eastern Siberian rai'waya, the Russians behead all Chinese caught in the act of railway wrecking and fix their heads on high poles. The same paper also learns that the report is incorrect according to which the railway line round Lake Barkal will be completed DIRECTORY, within a snort person. of this line, the length of which is 245 versts, are completed. No fewer torrents to be built, about a hundred and ficult and rocky ground. It is, therefore, doubtful whether this railway can be finished during the present year. That the Russian Military authorities do not depend on the speedy conclusion of the sail, and indicating the approximate line is proved by the fact that three new ferry steamers and several ice-breakers have been ordered.

Russian Generals, in their interviews with Correspondents, usually display great co fidence regarding the final victory of A copy of the 1904 edition will be Russian arms as an established fact, Colonel Vereshtschagin, formerly attached to General Kuropatkin, does not share the V optimi m of his comrades, and, on the England. contrary, warns his countrymen not to undervalue Russia's enemy In an interview telegraphed to Vionna, he rafers to the Russo-Turkish War, when it was believed n Russia that Turkey could not take the field with more than two hundred linusand men. Russia therefore commenced the war with only four Army Corrs, and the consequence was that war lasted two years and cost two milliards roubles, and that 6 10,000 men had to be mobilise. At that time,' the Colonel preceded, 'we had to go to war, so to say, at home; now, however, everything is against us-the distance of the scene of action from our country as well as its nearness to the base of the enemy. We have, moreover, an enemy courageous and strong, and determined to risk Words a minute; completion to cor- his whole existence. Having the sea at his back he cannot retire, and must either gain a victory over us or perish. How can weimagine that the Japanese resorted towar without being conscious of their strength? They are no less cunning than were the Boers. and though the latter could not take the field with more than 30,000 (sic) men, they forced the English to keep an army of 250,000 men in the field. Why should we deny that the Japanese are able to muster 5. 0,000 to 700,000 men against us?

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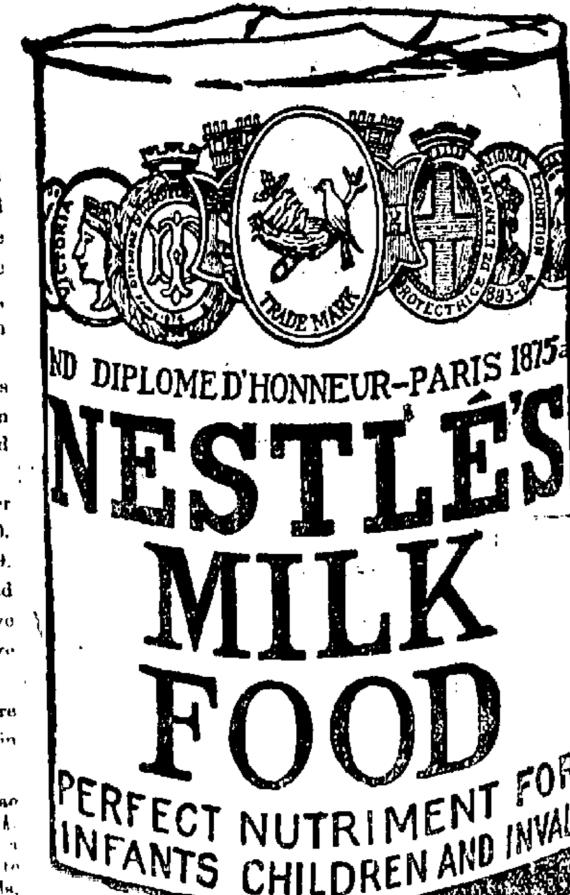
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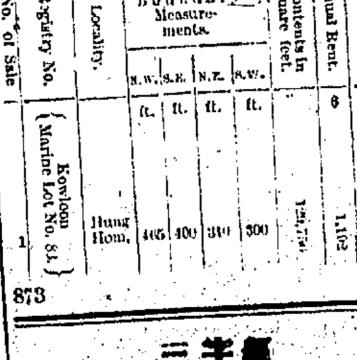
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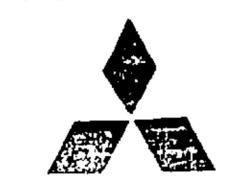


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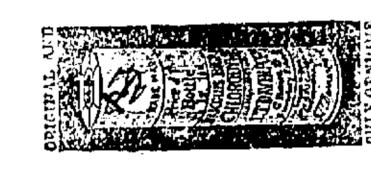
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Masonic. Princ 60 Canta Hongkong Consistory No. 11 under the jurisdiction of the Supreme Council of Scotland of 33 deg. H.E., took place at the Masonic Hall, Zetland Street, Illustrious Companion G. A. Watkins 32 deg. presiding: The followling are the Office-bearers for the ensuing

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Cerlon's Mineral Discoveries.

interest is being taken here in the new mineral known as therianite, discovered at thoria-five times as much as monazite, dage! which is worth £35 per ton. Further light February 27 on the P. and O. liner Coro-Institute Bulletin, of the 31st March, says The Trues of Cylon, which, in its reports! on recent investigations, gives the following :- In connection with the Mineral Survey now proceeding in Ceylon in conjunction with the Scientific and Technical Department of the Imperial Institute,

specimens of minerals supposed been sent recently to the Imperial these has proved on analysis not to be containing thorium may be of great impor-

He Found Relief NEORGE RUDKIN, Town Clerk, Cr Kumara, New Zealand, says :-immediate relief. Had before tried many other embrocations for the same purpose, advice, tried Chamberlain's Pain Balm with equally good results. I confidently recommend it to those in need of a good household liniment of embrocation. For sale by all chemists and medicing vendors WATEINS Ltd., General Agenta.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Notes by the Way. The death is announced of Sir Henry Thompson, the celebrated surgeon.

Lord Kelvin, the eminent scientist, has been elected Chancellor of the University of Glasgow.

Lieut, W. A. Crake, H.K.V.C., has

The semi-finalists for the Golf Chain-The appointment of the Hon. P. N. H. pionship of the Royal Hongkong G. C. Jones as Vice-President of the Sanitary are Forrest c. Parr, and Beavis c. C. W. Board is gazetted.

One of the Fire Brigade Chiefs was killed and another injured in the recent The agents for Messrs Trevoux and Company inform us that the proposed trip great fire at Toronto.

of the Charles Hardowin to Canton on Sun-Lieutenant G. B. Hobart, York and day in connection with the boxing match is Lancaster Regiment, has been selected for employment with the Chinese Regiment at Wei-Hai-Wei

A London telegram reports :-At the The reports of the Acting Harbour enquest on those lost in the submarine-Master for 19 and of the Government boat, Capt Bacon said the bodies were Bacteriologist to last year appear in the Government Gazette.

A notification appears in the Gorernment Gazette appointing M. K. Hodgson, Sherwood Foresters, to be A. D. C. to the Officer Administering the Government, with the rank of Captain,

April with the rooms and extremes for 20 The Captain and officers of the French cruiser Infernet, together with the French Consul, dined with Col. Balfour and the Officers of the Royal Artillery, at their Mess at Cobombo on the 20th ult.

Rev. G. H. Bondfield, of Shanghai, will, we understand, preach a sermon both The year's rainfall to the end of the morning and evening (11 and 6) to morrow. month amounts to 5.99 inches, the 20 years in Union Church, Konnedy Road, Doubt less the many friends of this former Pastor will make a point of attending.

The following returns of the average Billiards.

amount of banknotes in circulation and of specie in reserve in Hongkong, during The first of the three billiard matches between H. W. Stevenson and C. Dawson, I of 18,000 up, was finished at Manchester in brilliant fashion by Stevenson, who won by 1884 points.

Open Air Concert.

The Band of the 93rd Burma Infantry will play the selections following on the New Parade Ground on Monday next, the 9th inst., from 5 to 6.30 p.m. :-

March 'The Ublan's Call' ... Ellenberg 815,835,679 9,350,000 Lancers .. 'The Army and Navy' selection... The Toreador Carylland clothing etc., entrusted to him by Private Mazurka. 'Slavonic Dance'...Karely Klay

The Consecration and Installation Selection A Chinese Honeymoon ... Talbot Valtz Pollet GOD STEE THE KING.

> ' Military-Lof ing Johnny.' A Hongkon correspondent of

race meeting a Mr Johnstone, one of the ckeys, was thrown while riding in a A doctor from Amoy was among the spectators, and speedily attended to the with accused's statement, and sentenced death last year. unfortunate rider. At the club, later, the him to one month's rigorous imprisonment. doctor was chatting about the accident,

and was asked how he managed. 'Oh, all right,' replied the doctor. 'I had several assistants, including one military looking johnny, who did pretty good

A London telegram states:-Much ing johnny' was none other than Sir Frederick Treves, sergeant-surgeon to the King. It was this world famous surgeon Balangoda, It contains 75 per cent, of instructing in the art of putting on a banwhom, an hour or two earlier, he had been

mandel, on a visit to the Governor. The 'Princess Marie' Case. On the 30th March, the Noroye announced in a telegram which appeared yesterday that the port authorities at Dartmouth had visited the Danish steamer Princess Marie, which put in there to coal while on a voyage from Port Arthur to the Baltic. If the telegram in question is stitute for investigation. The first of correct, we ask ourselves by what right the British authorities dared to force such officials to enter the service of Japan. of the public no one doubts; but the ordinto be extensive, since there is largely em- carried contraband of war, supposing even gives to the public a useful widening of the to the mineral thorianite, which is strongly protected by the Danish flag, the British much improved piece of land; and to of radium. The Imperial Institute expects seize her, since only belligerent ships have open sewer, the breeding-place of mosformation as to the occurrence of these the right of making prizes, and that only quitoes and (in good medical opinion) on the high seas. Therefore, as long as dangers worse than these. Probably every-Great Britain does not declare war she can one will say now that it is a great pity the take no action against foreign ships. We matter was not settled out of Court. are surprised that British officials, who are have very great pleasure in stating that, so well acquainted with Maritime Law, having used Chamberlain's Pain Balm in should have committed such an irregularity. TF your children are subject to croup especially in view of the facts that British

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Hongkong Christian Union.

The usual devotional meeting will be held on Monday afternoon, at 5.15, in the room of the Union, Beaconsfield Arcade, The Rev. G. H. Bondfield will preside, All are cordially invited.

Meteorological Returns.

During the month of April 1:935 been granted six months leave of absence inches of rain fell in Hongkong. The hottest day was April 26, when the temperature stood at 83.8, and the coolest day was April I, when the thermometer showed 67.6 to 59.7. The mean temperature for the month was 70 7.

Tarradiddles.

The following poemlet is from the Bri the recent International Fête at Yoke- Rand.

MURDEN TARRADIDDLES. (With apologies to Dr Watta). How doth the Chefoo strategist Improve each censored cable. Converting it by natty twist Into egregious fable? How airily the Mukden lyre

Seconds his specious leader, Until the yarn that Europe buys Doth flabbergast the reader. But yellower still it turneth yet As westward it must go, Until at last its pa-ri-ents Their offspring hardly know,

Sir Henry and the Elk.

A correspondent sends the following paragraph to the Times of Ceylon :-- H. E. the Governor baving, it is stated, recently expressed a wish to see an alk in its wild shever surrender while a drop of blood was state, one which had been discovered left in their veins. Many thought that ronning about in the district was driven into the jungle behind Queen's Cottage, Nuwara Eliya, for His Excellency to see, The animal was driven up quite close to] His Excellency, Lady Blake and party, but immediately made a dash for the forest and got so frightened that it became entangled. in some loose wire. The Governor, anxious that the elk should not be injured, made the beaters hold the animal down whilst he himself broke the twisted wire which had curled round the elk's horns and body and released it. His Excellency, in extricating London and £5,000,000 in New York. the elk, cut the palms of his hands slightly.

A Queen's Chocolate Box.

Before Mr Gibson at Singapore on the 26th ult., Private Ward, of the 1st Manchester Regiment, was brought up on remand on a charge of criminal breach of trust in respect of a Queen's chocolate box and some Monckton- Goodall of the same Regiment. Accused pleaded not guilty. It appeared that on or about the 14th January last prosecutor gave , accused the chocolate box to sell for him, and $^{\prime}$ since then prosecutor had not seen accused. Prosecutor identified the articles as his as for the cloth he gave it to a tailor in Yu-wei, which is not the case. North Bridge Road, to make up into a suit Ward intimated that he would appeal.

Conneil v. Landowner.

The N.-C. Dully News of the 27th ult. wei, issued among a multitude of their re-The Amoy medico was considerably says:—Mr Hardoon has won his suit forms an edict ordering that memorials Des Voeux and Chater Roads, the building startled when told that the 'military-look- against the Municipal Council. By the even from inferior officials should be transjudgment of the Court of Consuls rendered mitted to him direct without being first Courts and Post Office are completed the yesterday, it will be seen that permission cansored by the Boards. Acting on this, Alexandra Building, being midway between has been given him as the owner of land Wang Chao, a junior secretary to the Board them, will be in the very centre of the adjoining the Yungzeenpang, and part of Rites, sent in a reform memorial which Sir Frederick arrived at Hongkong on owner of the creek, to obtain the necessary was stopped by his superiors; who rebuked ness community have recognised that fact, rights to culvert the creek and also to erect him soundly for his presumption. To their for every available foot of flooring has been the boundary wall along the line of the astonishment, the matter came to the Em. taken "up, On the ground floor, the Bubbling Well Road-two proposals peror's ears, who was very indignant at apex of the building is to be occupied by which the Council endesvoured to their disregard of his edict, and immediate. Messrs A. S. Watson and Co., and three Vremua published the following:-It was prevent him from carrying into effect. ly cashiered and dismissed from office the large rooms are to be fitted up with The Court came to the conclusion two Presidents and four Vice-Presidents of the latest improved fittings for their use. that while Mr Hardoon's property the Board. The other high officials took on the Des Voeux Road side Messrs Powell will be benefited, the rights of the public the Board, went in a body to Limited have taken the remainder of will be benefited, the rights of the public the Empress Downger and hogged her with the ground floor, as well as three rooms on the first floor. The ground floor is in an arcellant position for the husiness of the time the right of the Council, in its wisdom, | vent such terrible innovations as the firm, and is excellently appointed, as reto protest against the proposal has been coup d'état, and the subsequent reign of gards showenses and lighting arrangements. sustained and our municipal representatives reaction with its corollaries the Boxer Mesers Gaupp and Company have the rehave not been mulcted in costs. Although the case was gone into at great least monazite but thorite, which is a silicate of thorium, containing over 66 per cent, of thorium oxide. The supposed uraninite has proved to be a new mineral which the first place, to what is done on her terri.

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TELEGRAPH.

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NATIVES ON THE RAND,

ALLEGED ILL-TREATMENT

A Motion Negatived.

LONDON, May 6. In the House of Commons yesterday, Major J. E. B. Seely moved the n

journment of the House on the question tish Mctcor, a special paper published at of alleged ill-treatment of natives on the

> His motion was negatived by sixty. | bale. three votes, 213 voting against the at Rs. 133; per cent. London at 1s. motion, and 150 voting for it.

[Major John Edward Bernard Seely, S. D.S.O., has been M.P. for Isle of Wight since 1900. He is a Conservative. He served in South Africa with the Imperial Yeomanry in 1900-1901 and gained a D. S. O. Reference is made to him in our London letter .- En., C.M.]

> [REUTER'S SERVICE.] THE WAR.

London, May 5. At a dinner of the Japanese Society, at which Viscount Hayashi presided, Mr economical reasons; he admitted Japan's wealth was limited, but it was not so limited as outsiders supposed. Viscount Hayashi said the Emperor and the people of Japan would be much rejoiced at the her sympathy.

THE JAPANESE LOAN. * The new Japanese loan is for £10,000,000, of which £5,000,000 will be issued

THE BALKANS.

Lord Lansdowne, replying to Earl Spencer, confessed that the progress of the reforms in the Balkans was disappointing, and, if not accelerated, that we might be confronted by a situation of the gravest lanxiety.

A REFORMER CAPTURED.

Sentenced to Imprisonment For Life.

Daily Express writes under date 1st March his statement. For the defence, accused and sentenced to imprisonment for life, on pushed forward rapidly. With the compleproperty and called witnesses to corroborate known Chinese reformer, has been seized not been finished, but they are being said that prosecutor gave him the box, and the ground that he is a supporter of Kang tion of the building, one of the

steeplechase, and sustained a broken collar and gave the address of the tailor to the pro- condemned to a similar fate to that of Shen secutor. The Magistrate was not satisfied Ke-wei, who was barbarously besten to ceilings, and are admirably ventilated.

The above message appears in the N...C.D. News, and our contemporary writes :---In the autumn of 1898, the Emperor Kuang Haii, under the advice of Kang Yiicently inflicted on another innocent re-Chadwick Kew. W. D. Draham, Dra Jor-

dan and Gibson, Java, China and Japan those who had believed that a brighter day steamer line; and on the fourth floor, the Young Men's Christian Association's Rooms sions, the de facto ruler of China is still the are situated. Portion of this floor has been same implacable old Bourbon at heart, the sub-let. of which we are all, it is to be feared unduly, hopeful.

The Japanese Army Organisation. A correspondent writes from Tokio :-The Japanese Correspondents at the front who followed the Army in the China War express great surprise at the improvement officers were allowed to navigate the Kasager Cough Remedy is given as soon as the improvements noticeable slike in equip. Ingredient. The makers of Chamberlain's but found this the most efficacious, and Nushin to Yokohama; that the British child becomes hoarse, the attack can be ment, organisation, and discipline, and

> COLD but begin now with Slear Wine in moderate sloses

THE YARN MARKET.

In their fortnightly report dated May 6, Messrs Cawasjee Pallanjee and Company

Remarks:-Since the issue of our last circular dated the 22nd ultimo our yarn market during the fortnight ruled steady, and a rise in the rate of Exchange on India made importers eager sellers, which had the effect of a decline of about one dollar on last mail's quotations. A good business transpired at current rates, and some of the selected threads are still inquired for. Sales during the past fortnight comprise about 325 bales of No. 6s.; 2,750 bales of No. 1 s.; 1,200 bales of No. 12s.; 575 bales of No. 16s; and 1,750 bales of No. 20s.; in all about 6,600 bales. Arrivals per steamers Chusan, Banca, Catherine Apeur, Nams ing and Ischin of about 15,5 0 bales. Shipmonts to Shanghai and the Northern Ports about 8,0 0 bales. The unsold stock is about 35,000 bales,

Local Yarn :-- No business is reported. Japanese Yarn :- Sales are reported of about 200 bales of No. 20s. at \$135 to \$138, and about 50 bales of No 32s, at \$192 per

Exchange :-- We quoted to-day on India

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK,

A Complimentary Critic. 'Trustee' writes as follows in the April

Monthly Review on 'Indian and Colonial-Investments':-The half-yearly report of the Hongkongand Shanghai Banking Corporation which has just been issued is specially interesting on this occasion in view of the Far Eastern conflict. One naturally looks to see whether the bank's resources are reasonably suffi-

cient for such a time of political uncortainty. That the dividend distribution is maintained is of more immediate importance to its shareholders than to the public. But fortunately in other respects also the state-Japan was unable to carry on the war for ment of accounts presented to the recent meeting in Hongkong is equally satisfactory. The deposit and current accounts amounted on December 31 to \$200,627,713, and the notes in circulation to \$16,259,244. Against these the bank had cash amounting to \$38,366,269, coin lodged with the Government amounting to warm manner in which Britain had shown \$8,500,000 and bullion of the value of \$7,824,187. The proportion of coin and bullion to accounts and circulation was thus over twenty-five per cent., which compares very favourably with the position of our great London banks, the highest pross portion of the cash hed by any one bank to its current and deposit accounts at the date in question being just over twentyone per cent. As regards its reserves, the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank has, in addition to its paid-up capital of ten million

dollars and its silver reserve of six million dollars, a sum of £1,000,000 invested in storling securities, its Consols having been written down to 85 and its holding of the National War Loan to the low price of 90. One can therefore regard with the atmost confidence the resources of the bank which plays such an important part in our com-

ALEXANDRA BUILDINGS.

mercial Empire in the Far East.

This imposing pile has now been confpleted as far as the external portion is Wang Chao, a highly educated and well- concerned. The interior fittings have finest and best appointed structures 'His friends fear that he will be secretly in the Far East is added to Hongkong. Down the centre of the building run twoair shafts, which give additional light and ventilation to the offices. Now that scaffoldings have all been removed the architectural beauty of the structure is apparman, Rennie and Harston, the North China Insurance Company, and the Holland and China Trading Company will have their offices, while on the third floor are Messrs Palmer and Turner. Linstead and Davis,

> The various occupants are now moving into the premises, and within a week or two all should be ensconsed in their new offices. Dr F. and C. Kew have opened their Dental rooms on the third floor, and have one of the finest appointed surgeries in the Colony,

Baby Cough must never Linger ATOTHING is more distressing than to see a helpless little infant suffering Cough Renedy positively guarantee that the news of the searches lawfully executed has appeared, the attack can always be by the Dmitri Donskoi, and, above all, in prevented by giving this remedy It is of the men.

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THE RUSSO-JAPANESE WAR.

THE PORT ARTHUR COMMAND.

Alexeieff to Join the Army. LONDON, May 6.

Admiral Alexeieff has received an Imperial Ukase transferring him to General Kuropatkin's Army: He has, therefore, left Port Arthur to rejoin the active army. Pending the arrival is entrusted with the command at Port Arthur.

JAPAN'S SECOND ARMY. Landing Effected in Liaotung

We are indebted to Mr Noma, Consul for Japan, for the following telegrams announcing the landing of the second Ja- Another Interview with Russian panese army in the Liaotung Gulf; it will be observed that the name of the landing place is not given :--

Toxyo, 6th May, 4.20 p.m. General Kurcki reports that on the 3rd May the Japanese mounted scouts, after a severe hand-to-hand fight near Fenghwangchang, drove the Russian horsemen towards | eight or ten miles south of Port Arthur : Fenghwangeheng.

The Chinese say that on the 1st May about 2,000 Russkin infantry, posted on hill east-of Fenghwangeheing, fired upon 300 of their comrades retreating from Yalu, mistaking them for the enemy and 100 men were wounded and 70 killed. The rest fied in disorder, abandoning the commissariat carts.

Officers taken prisoners state that the only bodies that retreated in order on the craft. 1st May were five or six infantry battalions and two artillery companies.

200 more Russians killed or wounded were found left on the field.

Tokyo, 6th May, 6 p.m. detuched fleet, the twentieth torpedo fletilla, the Hongkong Marii and Nippon Maru arrived at 5.30 ame, on the 5th May at Linotung. Some of the enemy's sentinels were seen on the top of a hill adjoining the and from the zigzag course steered by the coast and were driven away by our fire:

The Naval Brigade, under Captain No. moto, was then ordered to land. The ebb- has been thickly mined by the Russians. tide preventing the boats' approach to the shore, they waded breast-deep for 1,000 metres and gained the shore at 7.22 a.m. Immediately marching, they reached the heights and hoisted their flag.

Meanwhile the cruisers Alvigi, Oshima and Chokai approached the shore on the flank of the landing-place for the purpose of diverting the enemy: The Akagi found

100 of the enemy and dispersed them. The transports arrived at 8.5 a.m. with the first echelon of the Second Army, who, seeing the Japanese flag at the top of the immediately commenced landing, which they effected splendidly, despite the deep water. They are now building a

INTERVIEW WITH PRINCE KHILKOFF.

Sr. Perenspore, April 4. I have just had a long talk with Prince Khilkoff, the Minister of Ways and Comnunications, who returned yesterday from the Baikal district, where he has been for two months. He is elderly, healthy, keen, and American looking, with a small grey goates beard. In his youth he voluntarily driving away all Chinese from their lines spent some years in America as a common railway engineer. As a believer in Mr Chamberlain's principle of attending-to matters personally, he went out along the Siberian Railway to put matters in order

with his own hands. Today he saw the Emperor, who is thoroughly satisfied that everything possible is being done by the engineers now building the railway round Lake Baikal. The Prince goes out again in a fortnight for another two months, the chief reason this time being a fear lest the engineers' enthusiasm should lead them to go too fast. The railway round the Lake is now completeo as far as Kultuk, and will be entired the East coast of the Lisotung Peninsula ly finished in August, instead of next January, as calculated, notwithstanding the great engineering difficulties, the many tunnels, and the fact that the railway is mostly being cut in the face of the rock cliff encircling the Lake.

the Lake by train, though some loco. This is partly accounted for by the enforcemotives and trucks have been taken over ment of a tariff prohibiting dealers from destined for the Far East. Five thousand enhancing their prices beyond the limit horses are working on the Lake, having | specified from time to time by the Russian the troops and Military stores.

All the soldiers Prince Khilkoff saw were in astonishingly good health and spirits. At the commencement of the War there was a lack of cars and locomotives in the Far East. These have now been supplied

from Russia. The stories of the sufferings of peasants along the railway are greatly exaggerated. The initial attempts of the speculators in foodstuffs to exploit the inhabitants were immediately nipped in the bud by the Government taking over all supplies at a reasonable price, and punishing efforts at over-

Some Japanese spy photographers were caught, but, as it was impossible to prove their guilt, they were sent to Beclin The importance of thoroughly protecting the anticipated .- Mercury Correspondent.

line is quite realised. The Prince considers: it impossible for Japan to cut the railway. anywhere. Russia is in all respects quite: sound financially. Nearly all the peasants on the railway are working for the Govern-

ment at good wases. The Prince had a long talk with ha old friend, General Kuropatkin, who intends entered and cleared the port during the to take no chances. The heavy lighting will probably begin after June 20 The War, he considers, is likely to be a prolonged one, owing to the adoption by the James of the Boer tactics of fighting and running away.

Regarding the reports that Russia will be unable to support above 340 000 mon in the Far East by the milway, Prince Khilkoff states that the line is now only doing half the transport work it could achieve if necessary. The troops will be able to obtain all requisite food from the local farmers, aided by the Government.

The Prince considers that Japan meant war because it began its attacks troacherously before receiving the Russian Reply and its concessions. Although the affair has immensely popularised the War in Russia, he thinks that the Commanders of the foreign battle-ships should have saved the Korick and Varyag from murderous destruction.

The Japanese, the Prince added, are of Admiral Skrydloff, Admiral Vitgert suffering from a lack of sense of proportion. They have classed the Chinese with the Russians since the Chinese War, and, now that a few successes have cen treacherous. ly assured, have entire confidence in the outcome, General Kuropatkin is slow and deliberate, but very sure .- The Standard Special Correspondent.

WAR CORRESPONDENTS CRUISE.

Officers.

CHEFOO, April 23. The Favon, chartered by the Chicago Daily News, arrived here this morning from a croise through the Miaotoa Islands, and along the Manchurian coast of Kones up to the entrance of the Yalu River. Yesterday afternoon two Russian tornedo boat destroyers intercepted the Fawan some the ensuing explanations terminated in the Russians taking command of the Fawan and politely confining the captain and correspondents to their cabins. The Pressmen rejoicing over the probability of sceing Post Arthur and the possibility of going one better' than their late Newchwang achievements. Unfortunately for the readers of their newspaper 'however,' the capfors of the Faran on arriving some three miles off Port Arthur, were instructed by signals from the coast to forego their prize, whereupon the captain and correspondents were allowed to reassume command of their

In discussing the affair with one of the crew I was informed that the officers and men of the two torpedo boat destroyers were well clothed, and judging from their appearance well fed, and did not appear to be at all downcast over their recent disasters; in fact one of the officers expressed-Admiral Hosoya reports that the seventh | the opinion that any advantage gained by the Japanese at sea would subsequently be more than counterbalanced by the Russians on land; he was also confident that Port Arthur was impregnable both by land and sea Several large men-of-war could be seen lying at anchor inside the harbour. torpedo-boat destroyers on leaving the Farran it was presumed by those on board the latter that the approach to the harbour

> One of the objects of the Fawan's cruise was to solve, if possible, the mystery as to where the Japanese are coaling their squadron. It was thought that possibly the Japanese had converted oue of Miantoa Islands into a conling depot. the Fearm's cruise through these islands effectually controverted the idea. course it is possible that the Japanese are coaling at sea, but it is worthy of note that although the Japa lese squadron has been frequently sighted at various times b passing steamers, yet no single occasion has any collier been noticed in the vicinity

> There has been some talk here as to the likelihood of the recently appointed American Consul to Antung shortly proceeding to his destination, but the chance of his arriving there by water appears to be extremely small in view of the fact that th Russians have mined the parrow navigable channels of the Yalu River. The Fawen approached the river at low tide and noticed at the entrance something which appeared to be a piece of matting floating on the surface of the water. Closer inspection revealfed a moored contact mine concealed be-

> neath the innocent looking refuse. CHINESE SENT: AWAY. My informant also mentioned meeting in the vicinity of the Yalu a junk containing a number of well-dressed Chinese who stated that they had been turned out of Tatungkan by the Russians, who were lalong the river, with the exception of coolies required by

----RUBBIAN AND JAPANESE TROOPS in the construction of earth works. The refugees stated that some 8,000 Russian troops were concentrated at Tatungkau and that the place was being strongly entrenched. Japanese troops have arrived as far as Yougampo and it is doubtful whether any Russian troops are now remaining on Korean territory. The statement lately wired out by Reuter that Russian and Japanese

pickets along the Yalu were within 600 yards of each other does not appear to be the case. Advices received to day indicate that the closest points of contact between the two forces are Tatungkau and Yongampo, the river between these two places

being three miles wide. It is reported that the whole length of from Port Arthur to the Yalu River, is being patrolled by mounted Cossacks, a precautionary measure to prevent any surprise landing on the part of the Japanese.

PROVISIONS PLENTIFUL. By all accounts there is no lack of provisions at Port Arthur. It is stated that upon new proclamations were issued rethe cost of foodsuff has only advanced 25 No troops have been transported across per cent. since the heginning of the war, authorities.

> HOW THE RUSSIANS ARE SUPPLIED. In spite of the Japannese fleet there is little doubt but that large quantities of provisions have been shipped aboard junks to the Russians. Large consignments of flour, casks of wine, etc., are being landed at an the first round. Chefoe, and Dame Rumour hath stated that a good deal of it is transhipped at night into junks, which leave here in the small hours, shaping their course through the Misotao islands to some rendevous on the coast of the Lisotung Peninsula.

Steamers are arriving from the South I anti-foreign feeling with it. bound for Newchwang, where large stocks of beencake are awaiting shipment. Auparently the danger of a Japanese invasion in that quarter is not so imminent as was

BUSINESS OF THE PORT.

The report of the Acting Harbour Master for 1903 shows a substantial increase in the number and tennage of ships which year, the figures being: 1903-104,470 ships, representing 23,853,384 tons; 1902

-99,449 ships, 21,333,566 tons, an in crease of 5,021 ships, 2,519,818 tons. The total number of British ships to enter and clear was 8,449, representing 11,250,296 tons, as 4 compared with 7,102 ships, 1,347 ships; (18.8 per cent) and 1,678,509 tons. This is divided between ocean-going and river steamers, the former accounting for 427 ships, 762,848 tons, and the latter 920 ships, 415,664 tons. Foreign shipping 1903, as against 5,359 ships and 6,704,211 tons in 1202, an increase of 681 ships (12.7 per cent) and 1,063,904 tons. Junks in foreign trade using the port declined from 36,245 junks in 1902 to 31,766 in 1903. The tonnage also declined from 3,238,239 bour during the" year amounted to and using wireless telegraphy, but excess over the previous year. Of this amount British ocean-going and river steamers accounted for 46.80 per cent; Foreign ocean-going and river steamers 32.32 per cent; steam launches and junks that the British quota is fourteen per cent. more than equal to the foreign ocean-going and river steamers and launches and junks (foreign trade) combined. The increase in British ships and tonnage over the foreign the vessels is marked throughout the report.

ANTI-TAXATION RIOTS AT CHAO-CHOW-FU.

(From a Correspondent.)

The feeling in this city against the proposed taxes on pork, fish, paper, &c., has been growing in intensity, and when the pork tax was levied recently all the pork shops were closed by their owners. A few days afterwards, on the 30th of April, as the Taotai, who is unpopular, started early in the morning to the Confucian Temple, he found a crowd at his yamen gates. The until he found himself imprisoned along threat to set up an opposing jurisdic-

with the city mandarins in the temple. The crowd was very demonstrative, closed the doors and refused to allow the officials out after they had finished worship. The Taotai then sent for 200 soldiers, who ing several people in the process, and yamens. The crowd then proceeded to the office of the Pork Tax Farmer, which they looted, and then to the office of the Deputy for Foreign Affairs, where the Farmer was impressed by the crossing of led, her clothes being torn by the rioters, while the house furniture was destroyed. Hearing that the fugitive was in the shop of a prominent Roman Catholic, a silversmith, a man who is very unpopular because he does so much Yamen business, the mob next attacked this shop and plundered it of its valuable contents. They then attacked the shop of a fellow-churchman next door, but the neighbouring shopkeepers, no doubt alarined at the way affairs were developing, urged the rioters not to molest this shop as the owner was an honourable man, and not like the other one. The arrival of 100 soldiers also turned the tide and stopped the plundering.

This was the most critical time. this shop had been entered, the probabili ties are that other Roman Catholic silversmiths, then the banks and wealthy business houses, and the mission compounds would have been looted. As it was, the French Mission had to be guarded, for an angry crowd collected outside, hooting and throwing broken tiles. Threats of plundering the Protestant Missions were freely uttered in the streets, but no demonstration was made. and it was not until dark that a guard, by that time quite unnecessary, was sent.

The authorities had the seven city gates shut and issued proclamations. The Taotai hinted the City Magistrate was to blame. and the Magistrate said he was obeying orders from above. The Taotai ordered the re open, threatening punishment if they Germany. did not. This unly enraged the people. Then he issued forth in person to persuade the shopkespers to re-open. They refused: mitting the pork tax until the question should be decided by the Provincial authorities. The Taotai, Brigadier, Prefect and City Magistrate, the two latter on foot, divided the city between them, and went round urging the shopkeopers to reopen. In view of the remission of the tax, they acceded, and an outward peace now reigns. The people have been victorious

It is ominous, however, that in this quiet city a disturbance with so far reaching that there should be a certain amount of port hun new that he is agin the seriously depressing affect on important Captain Honday, will be despatched for possibilities should spring up so easily, and

Application dentrifice, cloanses and pre serves the teeth.

LONDON LETTER

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

LONDON, April 8. Perhaps no car has ever attracted so many reporters, and certainly none has yet yielded them so little copy. was natural that correspondents should approach the scene of hostilities from the Japanese side. Tokio is necessible, while Harbin is not. But, 9,571,787 tons, in 1902, an increase of having penetrated so far, they find it is impossible to proceed any further. The Japanese government is perfectly courteous, but it remembers well enough that it was from a nowspaper totalled 6,040 vessels, 7,768,115 tons in report of the sailing of the Kowshing that it derived the information that enabled it to score its first success the war with China, and it has intention of extending a similar ad- of unclaimed stock. vantage to Russia nov 1t cannot in 1902 to 2,698,459 in 1903. The total prevent the Times correspondent craistonnage to enter and clear the har- ing about on his own responsibility 24,039,862 tons, being 2,511,082 tons in feels a grim delight in keeping the great mass of the correspondents interned in Tokio, and (in accordance with the introduces a new rate of 3s. 3d. open fumous advice of Lord Wolcsley) telling them what it likes, while debarring (foreign trade) 11.99 percent; and junks in them other sources of information. local trade 8.89 per cent. It will be noticed The fifteen who have been allowed to export tobacco trade. go 'to the front' will find themselves higher than the foreign contribution, and is shipped to a point of ininor importance, while the real attack on the Liao peninsula can be carried on away from

animadversions of the candid

friend, whom Japan found rather a

nuisance the last time they were at

be comforting to Mr T. Cowen, who

Port Arthur.) This reference ought

was on your staff at the time.

It may well be hoped that the brush ith the Tibetans at Guru on Thursday of last week-will be so convincing to them that that mission may go on to Gyangtse without further hindrance. Once established there, Colonel Younghusband should be able to treat with tion in the person of the rival Grand Lama of Tashe-Lhunpo. When thieves cinbarrasments give us a spleadid opall the machinations of the Buriat convoyed the mandarins back to their Dorieff, and other Slav emissaries. The Chinese Amban is powerless, but even the hierarchy of Tibet will be supposed to be hiding. The male occu- Himalayas, a march unequalled in the pants escaped before the rioters arrived, but | world's history, and unchecked even the wife of the Deputy was roughly hand. by a solemn curse lasting forty-eight hours and launched by the Grand that it would injure India and Ceylon, Lama himself. The Himalayas are the wall of India, but we shall be all the stronger for holding both sides of the barrier. It is certainly of good omen that the people of the neighbour hood, and even the Amban, are friendv to the advancing mission.

> 'Aus einer kleinen Garnison' been translated into English. picture Licut. Bilse drew of German garrison life was squalid, but he seems to have established its general veracity before the Court-martial which sentenced him to six months' imprisonment and the book to destruction; course, smuggled copies have been reprinted everywhere. This week, the author has been released, and his troubles instead of ending are only just to begin. There are pirate publishers and unauthorised translators to prosecuted, and a succession tought

the officers whom he portrayed Chamber, will occupy the chair, and will too recognisably in its pages. Several English novelists, notably Thackeray, Reade and Disraeli, have introduced living characters into their stories. shops, which had almost all been shut, to but the practice is an unsafe one in duty

Next day, they were still shut, where- Major Seely to resume his seat for the Islo of Wight without a contest. The Free Food victory is merely a tactical! Major Seely is at one with the Opposia sent, which had been virtually lost

to be paraded on Radical platforms.

LAWN TENNIS.

The following games in the Lawn Tennis Tournament were played yesterday :--SINGLE HANDICAP (A Class).

4th Round E. Humphreys (sor.) defeated A. Boyd (owes 4/6) 6.4, 6-3.

SINGLE HANDICAP (B Class).

3rd Round. R. Manning (owes 4/6) defeated W. Allen (ser.), 60, 6-2. The only game set down for Monday is Atkinson and Smith v. R Hancock and Slade in the Professional Pairs.

THE BUDGET.

Agitation Against the Tea Duty.

London, April 19 .- Mr Austen Cham berlain's Budget shows a deficit o £5,415,600. The estimated revenue for the coming year is £13,906,000 (?) and the expenditure £142,880,000. The suspension of the Sinking Fund is refused, and it is proposed to realise a million's worth

An additional duty of sixpence on cigars and a shilling on cigarettes is also proposed, and modified tobacco duties.

The Budget provides for an additional twopence Imty on Tea, and adds one penny to the Income Tax.

In the Budget augar is not touched. It tobacco stripped before importation, and raises the moisture limit to 32. Budget also introduces small drawbacks, which, it is hoped, will increase the British

It is auticipated that £550,000 will be realised from these duties, two million from the increase of the Income Tax, and two million from the increase of twopence on

There was loud opposition and protests against these additions, which make the геуевые £143.610.000. The Chanceller proposed to meet last

year's deficit from Treasury balances and sale of unclaimed stock. Mr Austen Chamberlain, in his Budget Speech said he did not think the consumption of tea would be materially checked by the additional duty.

Sir H. Campbell-Bannerman warmly complimented, the Chancellor for his courage in refusing to suspend the Sinking Fund and imposing two of the most unpopular taxes, namely, tea and income. Sir Michael Hicks-Beach expressed satisfaction that there was no trace of Mr Austen Chamberlain's fiscal views in his Mr Ritchic congratulated the Chancellor.

on the manner in which he had discharged an extremely difficult duty. The opinion in Parliamentary circles is unanimous in condemning the Tea Tax, crowd increased in numbers as he proceeded, the Dalai Lama effectively by the though appreciation is expressed at the Chancellor's plucky and business-like manner in dealing with the situation.

It is not considered a dissolution Budget. April 20.-In the House of Commons, Mr Austen Chamberlain said the recent fall out, etc., and Russia's present clearances of ten were not sufficiently large to affect the estimated yield of the duty. the resolution sanctioning which continues forced their way through the crowd, injur- portunity of counteracting effectually the duty till August, 19 5, in order to prevent merchants delaying the clearance of tea from bonds in anticipation of the

next Budget. He hoped that, as a result of the recent exertions, the Navy Estimates would not 877 need to grow in the next few years as in the past. He hoped also, while modification in our Army system would increase the efficiency of the Army, to reduce the

Mr Joseph Chamberlain, in a brief speech, argued that those who objected to the increase in the ten daty on the ground ought to have moved a preference amend-

The House of Commons has adouted the resolution in favour of the increased duty on tea, after an amendment by Mr T Lough in favour of a sixpenny duty had been rejected by 265 votes against 103. The tobacco increased duty was al

adopted by 200 votes ugainst 106." Consols rese if on the Budget news. Calcutta. April 20.-The news that Mr Chamberlain's Budget proposes to add another 2d. to the Tea Duty has created a storm of indignation in tea circles in Calcutta. The effect of the increase, it is believed, will lead to the flooding of the home market with the cheaper grades of

China tea. The India producer is the chief sufferer. The Tea Association is moving the Chamber of Commerce to assist them in a strong

London, April 20.—The Caylon Association in London and the India Tea Association are considering the advisability of calling a meeting of producers to protest against the increase of the tea duty, which came as a complete surprise to the trade: It is thought in Mincing Lane that there will be a strong tomporary demand for common tea, but that, later, consumption

will be checked. Calcutta, April 21, -A public meeting of all concerned in the Indian toa industry will be held at the Chamber of Commerce on Saturday to protest against the increased

The Hon. Mr A. Aucar, president of the be supported by the Chairman of the Indian Tos Association and other leading proprietors, agents, and directors. The Indian Tea Association have already telegraphed to the Viceroy, urging that the Government of India should enter a protest against the enhancement of the

A special telegram to the Englishman, dated London, April 20th, states that the increase of the Tea Duty was absolutely unexpected. It is difficult yet to estimate The Government whips have allowed the full effect, but the trade expresses great indignation.

The following is the text of a telegram despatched by Sir Henry Blake to the Secretary of State for the Colonies one: Bir Baring, the Opposition can- I am requested to transmit following telegram :- Telegram begins-The Chamdidate, withdrew, as the contest must ber of Commerce and Planters' Association turn on points with regard to which representing the rea interests of Ceylon enter their respectful but emphatic protest against the imposition of further twopence tion, and the Chamberlainites did not per pound duty on tea. They submit that a crushing burden of over 100 per cent. on feel strong enough to win the sent the value of their staple product is calculatagainst a combination of those with ed very seriously to imperil its prospects and therefore the welfare of the Colony. whom Major Seely is personally pop- They further respectfully submit that this FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW ular and those who, though they voted Crown Colony is worthy of greater cansider lon. I agree with above represent. TILLE Company a Steamship against him four years ago, would suppation that the additional duty may have movernment. The result is the loss of competition with chesper Chinese teas.

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February, 1904. Petition dated the 10th day of February.

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to be held at the Official Receiver's Office, Land Office, Queen's Road Central, Victoria, aforesaid. No Creditor can vote unless he previously proves his debt. Forms of Proof and Proxy can be ob-

tained at the Official Receiver's Office during Office hours. At the First General Meeting, the Creditors will be asked to consider whether the Debtor shall be adjudged Bankrupt or whether they, the Creditors, will entertain a proposal for a Composition or Scheme of Arrangement.

> Notice of Public Examination. No. 29 of 903.

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No. 8 of 1934.

Re The Po Fune Bank, lately trading as Bankers at No. 73, Buham Strand, Victoria, in the Colony of Hong-

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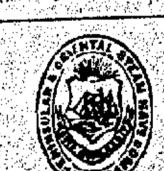
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H. FIGGE, Some, April 12, 1994.

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HUNGKONG AVERAGE MARKET PRICES.

Corrected to Thursday, May 5, 1904. At 100 cents per Dollar Mexican.

Butcher Meat. Beef sirloin & prime cut-Mei Lung Pa ... Ih 18 .. Corned-Ham Ngau Yok Roast,-Shiu ... Breast,-Nagu Lam .. Soup,-Tong Yuk ... Steak,-Ngan Yuk Pa -Cutom Ngau Lau Sirloin ... ,, Sausages,-Ngau Channg Bullock's Brains .-.. Siow Tongue fresh,-Ngan Li each 45 corned-Ram Ngan Ll Hoad, -- Ngan Tau ... lb. 9 Heart,-Ngau Sum Hump, Salt-Ngau Kin Feet,-Ngau Kerk Kidneys, -Ngau Yio Tail-Neau Mei Liver,- Ngan Cen ... Tripe (undressed)- Kosu To Calves' Head and Feet Ngame har-ton-kak, set 76 47 1990 Leg,-Yearg Poi ...

Mutton Chep.-Young Car Fval Shoulder, -Young Shan ... Page' Chittings-Chi chong Brains Chi Know Frei, Chi Kerk A Fry, ~ Chi Chuk Head, -Chi Tau

Heart, - Chi Sum Kidneys, -- Chi Yiu Liver, -- Chi Con Pork, Chop. - Thi Pai Kwat Corned. Ham Chu Yuk " Leg, -- Chu Pei

.. Fat er Lard, -Chu Yau Sheeps' Head and Feet, ... Young Tau Fork set be Heart, -Yeung Sum Kidneys, -Yeung Yin Liver,-Yeung Con

Sucking Pigs, To Order-Chu Chai Suet, Beef,-Sang Ngau Yau ., Mutton,-Sang Yeung Yau ... Veal,-Ngau Chai Yuk ... Hausages, -- Ngau Chai Yuk Tong ... n 15

Poultry.

Chickon, -- Kai Chai ... Capons, Large, Small. Ducks, -Ar Doves,-Pan Kau Eggs, Hon - Kai Tan... Fowls, Canton,-Kai Hainan,-Roi Nam Udeese,—Ngor

Goose, Wild Sh'ai, -S'hai Yer Ngot, Musk Deer, -Wong Kong Hare Shanghai, -Tu Char ... Partridge,—Che Khoo Phoasant, -Shan Kai Pigeons, Canten,-Pak Enp

Hoihow,-Hoi How Pak Kup. .. Quail,-Um-Chun ' Rice Birds,—We I'm Cheuk Snipe, -Sa-Choy ... 216 Turkeys, Cock-Phor Kai Kung Wild Ducks, S'hai, -Shanghai Sui-ap

> Teal,-Sui Ap Chai, Wild Ducks, Canton-SangShing Sul Ap, oa.

Barbel,-Ka Yu Bream, Bin Yu ... Canton Fresh Water Fish,-Ho' Sin Yu ... Carp,—Li Yu Catfish,-Chik Yu Codfish .- Mun Yu ... Crabs,—Hai ... Cuttle Fish,-Muk yu Dab,—Sa Mang Yu ... Dace, -Wong Mei Lun Dog Fish-Tit Ta Sa

Hels, Congor. Hai Mann ...

Fresh water, Tam Siu Yo ... Gudgeon, Pak Kup Yo | Berrings,-Tso Pak ... Halibut,-Oheung Kwan Labrus,-Wong Fa Yu Loach,-Wu Yu Lobstorn,-Lung Ha Mackerel, - Chi Iu ... Monk Fish, -- Mong Yu Mullet - Chai Yu Oysters, -Sang Hoo

Par otfish,-Kai Kung Perch.-Tan Loc Plaice ... - Pan Yu

'urbot.—Cho How Yu

White Bait, -Ngan Yu Q

Salmon,-Ma Yau Ya

Shark -- Sa Yu

Skate. —Po Yu

Turtles, small, fresh water, - Kerk Yu

Apples, (California)-Kam San Ping Kho (Chefoo)-Tin Chun Ping Khor Small,-Hoi Tong ... Custard,—Fan Lai Chi Bananas, fragrant, Canton,—San Shing Houng Chiu Banunas, (brides), Macao-San Heung Chin

Chestnuts, Chinese, - Foong Lut ... Carambola,—Yeung Tuo Cocoanuts, -Yeh Tsz... ... Leanons, China-Ning Moong America-Kum San Ning Moon... Lichees, Dried-Lai Chi Con Fresh--- .. Limes, (Saigon)— Sai Kung Ning Moong... Mango, Manila-Lui Sung Mong ...

Mango, Saigon-Sai Kung Moong... Man osteens,—San Chuk Tsz Oranges, (Canton) -- San Shing Tim Chang " Small,—Tai Kut ... Olives,—Pak Lam

Pears, (American),-Kam San Shut Li-., (Canton), Cooking,—Sa Li ., (Shanghai),-Sheung Hai Li Peanuts,—Fa Sang ... Persimmons Large,—Hung Chie ... Pinc-apples, 1st quality,--- Shoung Poon Ti

Paw Law " 2nd cocking—Chung-tang-paw-law Plantains, — Tai Cheu Plums, -Swatow Hung Lai... Pumelo, Siam,—Chim Lo Yan Walnuts, - Hop Tuo

Vegetables, &c.

Artichokes, Shanghai —Sheung Hat Ab Chi Chouk *** *** *** Beans, (French), Macao. - Oh Moon Pin Ta " (French), Shanghai, -Shoung Hai Pin Tau Sprout, - Ah Choir ...

" Long,-Tau Kok ... Beet Root,-Hung Chor Chin Brinjals, Green,-Ching Yuen Ker Red,-Hung Ker ... Brassica, -- Pak Choi... Bamboo Shoots, -Cheuk Shan

上海野羯 Cabbage, Chinese, com.—Kai Choy Calibage Root,—Kai Lan Tan Cabbage, (Shanghai),-Yeh Chol ... Cane Shoots, bunch, -- Kau Shun ... Cauliflower, Large size, -Tai Yek Chol-fa caci Medium size, -- Cheung Yeh Cho -fa

Small size, -Sai Yeh Choi Fa ... Carrots,—Kam Shun Colery, Chinese,-Tong Kan Choi English,—Young, White,—Pak hilies Dried,—Con Lat Chiu Red,-Hung Fa ..

Curry Stuff, English, "Ka Lee Chol Lin... Cucumbers.-Ching Kwa ... Bitter Squash,-Fu Kwa ... Garlie,-Suen Tau ... Ginger, young,-Sun Taz Kenng ... old,—Lo Keung Horse Radish, S'hai-Lik Kan

复魚

芒角

Indian Corn,-Suk Mai ... Lettuce, -Young Sang Chol Water Chesnuts,-Ma Tai ... Mandarin,-Kwei Lum Ma Tal, Mushrooms, Fresb-Sang Cho'Kho Onions, Bombay,-Young Ching an

Japan,-Yut Poon Parsley,-Kun Cho ... Green Peas, - Ching Tau Potatoes, Sweet,-Fan Shu

Shanghai,-Shoung Hal Shu Teal Japan,-Yut Poor Shu Tsa American,-Fa Ki ., Foochow,-Fuk Chan on Teni

Macao, - Oh Moon Pumpkin,-Toong Kwa Radish,-Hung Lo Pak Teal Rhubarb (Fresh)-Tai Wong Shalots, -Con Chung Tau Spinage, (Chinese)-Paw Choi Spinach,-Yin Chol Tomatoes, -Fan Ker Taros, -- Wu Tau

Turnips, Punti, (Long),-Low Pak English,—Jeting Low Pak Vegetable Marrow, -- Chib Kwa Water Cresses, -Sat Young Chol Lily root,-Lin Ngan

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金争 唐芹型

Green,-Sang Churg Shanghal,—Sacung Hai Chung Pau

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H. A. JOHANSSEN 9 Acting Inspector of Markets

Green,-Ching Lat Chin ...

CHURCH SERVICES. St. John's Cathedral. . SUNDAY, MAY 8. 5TH BUNDAY AFTER BASTER. (Rogation Day). Holy Communion (7 30 a.m.) Matins (11 a.m.):-Responses, Tallis Venite Elves; Psalms, Purcell and Turle; Te Drum, Hayes Russell and Stainer; Benedictus, Havergat in E; eral. - BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Mr A. W. Grant Mr Gras Major Trotman Mr C. A. Vallance Mr B. F. Hamersley Mr & Mrs J. Vernon Mr H. B. Hanford Mrs A. M. Whitton Mr J. G. Hayton Mrs Willcocks Mr & Mrs C. Heber-Mr J. B. Windson Mr O. Winter Mr and Mrs B. Win-Miss Heberton Mr R. G. Heckford Mr H. K. Hemans Mr Philipp Wolff Mr & Mrs J. Hooper Mr C. D. Wood Mrs C. D. Wood Rev. J. loely Mr and Mrs Joseph, Mr and Mrs O. E. Mr E. A. Katsch Mr & Mrs C. Gordon Mr J. F. Bell Mr G. Lefevre Mr Levy Mrs J. Boll Mr E. W. Buchanan Mr R. Menashih Mr & Mrs D. ChristieMr R. H. Newborn Mr J. Cronin Mr L. C. Rees "Mr W. R. Robertson Mr F. O. Davies Mr T. Deane Mr N. H. Rutherford Mr and Mrs H. EyreMr R. Siebenshein Mr N. S. P. Triming-Mr M. Grice Mr J. D. Harris

Stainer; Benedictus, Havergal in E;	eral.—Butterfield & Swire. Tientsin, British str., 1,227, J. Gibbs,
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Union Church, Kennedy Road.	Simpson, Shangho May 4, Ballast.— STANDARD OIL Co.
Preacher: R.v. tr H. Bendfield. 11 a.m. Holy Worstop, Sanctus, No.	Trimaph, German str., 769, A. Hansen, Ar Foothow, via Amoy and Swatow May 6, Ar
232; Hyura, No. 192; Chant, No. 19; Hyura, No. 25; Authem. Like	General - Osaka Shosen Kabha. A
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Mr Gras Major Trotman	8th May.

-OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA. ing. British steamer, 1,423, Thos. Bangkok April 29, Rice,-MATRIESON & Co. Notwegian str., 726, Hans Olsen, R April 28 Rico. - Chinese. po, British steamer, 1,311, G. G. Coptic... a d. Donwerz & Co., Lb. ng Tah, Churese etr., 1,536, Wm. Daphne ... Shaughai May 4, Genoral, Ca N. Co. British atr., from Canton DEFABILITY May 7 for Europe, A or Shangbut. for Marila Har Kudat o, € i Honosy. ig the Shringtons race for Song H. le ay, for Səgon ang, Jor So nghat. for M graced San Property or, for 5 og quir a, for Cantos : a, for blogspore والإنظيرة كالأفرار * I balch? Three for the second 3 r K 1 ... 1.7 - 24 - 55 E FREE CORN ar, for B. lik Pri 9, tia Skarow ւտ 🔊 բոցնու, a for the Couron 5 (4) 11.RH A HIRLLAND Thedro, from Coast Ports, Mr. M. Jose Marini, Mr and Mrs Carvelho. nd , and 50 Chasec. Benedder, trom Shanghai, Mr Mc $Kw^{i}_{t}iigt$ ih, $i\phi$ to Shanghai, Consuloz, Mr C. J. Ladfsen, Mr G. L. dor, and 88 Chin so. OUT ARTERS. $M_{\rm C} H_{\rm C} = \sin (44) \exp k \cos g + \text{for Sings}$ and the Carrier of Proof to Carrie gli. G. D. Ketler, Midshipme. Strong (Cir. O.) J. Taylor, Lieut. N. C. Gronn, J. D. Mackay, Cabayas a D. Horks edg for Bombay, Lt. m, R.G., and Lieut, Cameron, . It is Marseilles, Mrs. S. A. Colton, - Charles Levy, F. A. J. Mc so, and 🛊 Mrs Varcon and 2 day liters, Master Mr E. J. West, R.N., Mr J. Vin-Serge Micros George, R.E., Masteror Donage R G.A., Capt Righards, Mrs. Whatless and chial, sessis cterhold, 'r), Terroit Jones, H. M oso, ami Lewis Peck From Yokotion Lordon, Col. and Mrs Factaer, formum, M. and Mrs. Bullard and 2 en, Mr.H., Bullard, Miss L. Bullard. Clements, Messrs W. Atkinson, F ecombe, F. Challoner, T. Johnson, , Grebs), Bathgate, J. W. Domidson, t, R. James, Huke, and H. Craven. Sh nghai : for Colombo, Mr Claud dl ; for Bombay, Mr. A. D. Shanks ort Said, Messrs-Frische, Traumann ann, Ekimeff, Ralling, Schwalbe, si, A. J. Goi vez, A. T. Chebabar v

British steamer Tientsin reports Who and Chinkiang May 2nd, strong gale and high sea, with overcast, weather.

ST OFFICE NOTICES. Mails will close :—

Per Goodwin, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the 8th May. For SWATOW, OHEFOU & TIENTSIN. Per Chihli, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the For MACAO .--

Per Wingchai, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the 8th May. For CANTON. -Per Fatshan, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the

8th May. For KONGMOON, KUMCHUK & SAM. SHUL.-Per Lintan, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the 8th May,

Per Tungkong, at 9 a.m., on Sunday,

Woolmer

Mr A. T. Walker

Mr Emil Meyer

Dr Sanderman

Mr Albert Stohp

Mr C. Templeman

Mr J. Stopani

Mr P. W. Sergeant

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Mr E. Howard

Miss K. Bassett

Mr A. J. Darby

Mr H. B. Goodin

Mr Geo. F. Malden

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Mr H. Haubal

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the 9th May. For HAIPHONG.— Per Hoihao, at 9 s.m., on Monday, the . 9th May. For MANILA .-

Per Shawmut, at 11 s.m., on Monday,

the 9th May. For MANILA. Per Yuensang, at 3 p.m., on Monday, the 9th May. For TIMUR, PORT DARWIN,

THURSDAY ISLAND, COOK. TOWN, CAIRNS, TOWNSVILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY & MEL BOURNE.— Per Tsinan, at 3 p m., on Monday, the

For SINGAPORE, PENANG & CAL Per Namsang, at 2 p.m., on Tuesday, the 10th May.

Until further notice the transmission of correspondence via Dalay and the Trans-Siberian Railway is discontinued.

Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusive of late Arrivals and Depuritures reported to-day.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eleven Sections, commencing from Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked h., near the Kowlood shore k., and those in the body of the Samping of midway between each shore are marked o., in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

I. From Green Island to the Gas Works. 2. From Oas Works to Jardine's Whart.

BEIFFING.

MARRIVALS. -

May 6. Thales, British str., 820, A. J. Robson,

Foothow May 3, Amoy 4, and Swatow 6,

Foothow, British steamer, 1,228, H.

Smale, Wuhu and Chinking May 2, Gen-

General.—Douglas STEAMSHIP Co.

3.\From Jardine's Whart to the Harbour's Officer 4. From Harbour Master's to the Murket, 5, From The Market to Peddac's Wharl. 6, brene Peddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard

Bectum. 📲 7. From Naval Yard to lifus Building. 8, From Blue Buildings to East Point. 9. From Kellet's Island to North Point.

10. Kawloon Wharves.

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The P. M. S. S. Kere t with the AMERI-CAN MAIL of the 16th April, left Yokohama on Thursday, the oth May, and may be expected here on or about Friday, the 13th May.

The C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Empress of China left Vancouver on Monday afternoon, the 2nd May, for Hongkong, via the usual Ports of Call.

Steamers Expected.

The H. A. L. steamer Theodor Wille, from Hamburg, left Singapore for this port on the morning of 3rd May, and may be expected here on or about the 9th

The s.s. Shimosa left Shanghai for Hongkong on the morning of 6th May, and may be expected here on the 9th May. The C. N. Co.'e s.s. Kansu left Tientsin

on 3rd May, via Foochow, and is expected to arrive here on 10th May. The C. N. Co.'s s.s. Changsha, from Australian Ports, left Port Darwin on | 800. 30th April, and is expected to arrive here on 11th May. The E. & A. steamer Eastern, from Syd-

ney &c., left Port Darwin on the 3rd Wed, 11 m 7 3 May for Manila and Hongkong, and is due here on 15th May. The Indo Ching S. N. Co. Ld. s s.s. Sui- Pri. 13 m 7 40 sang, from Calcutta and The Straits, left Singapore for this port on the 3rd May, at 6 p.m.

The C. C. S. S. Co. Ld.'s s.s. Alhell sailed from Salina Cruz, for Moji and Hongkong, on April 3 th, and is due to arrive about June 5th. The s.s. Satsuma left Singapore for this

port via Manila on the 2nd May. The O. S. S. Co.'s s.s. Agamemnon left Victoria B.C., for Japan and Hongkong on 22nd April. The P. & A. steamer Indrapura arrived

at Yokohama on the 30th April, and may be expected here on the 10th May. The s.s Richmond Castle, from New York, arrived at Manila on the 29th April -next port of call is Hongkong. The C. C. S. S. Co., Ld.'s s.s. Lothian arrived in Yokohama on the 2nd May, and should arrive in Hongkong on the 12th May. The C. C. S. S. Co., Ld.'s s.s. Chingle

sailed from Astoria, for Japan Ports and Hongkong, on May 1st, The O. S. S. Co, s s.s Ningchow will leave Victoria, B.C., for Japan and Hongkong on 15th May. The s.s. Silh s ited from New York on the

Latest Advices. The C. P. R. Co.'s e.s. Athenian arrived a Kobe at 3 p.m. on Eridan the 6th May, and left again at 230 a.m. on Saturday for Yokohama, where she is due to arrive at 7 a.m. on Sunday, the

The Imp. German Mail e.s. Sachien carry. Berlin of the 12th April left Singapore on Saturday, the Sth May, at I a m., ern part of the China Sea. and may be expected here on or about Wednesday, the 11th May, at 5 p.m. some light rain,

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